

# **Christ First in Your Mission**

Colossians 4:2-6

**Prayer is the first step in fulfilling the Great Commission. (vs. 2)**

**How are Christians to pray about our God-given mission?**

1. Pray Persistently
2. Pray Watchfully
3. Pray Thankfully

**For what are believers to pray? (vs. 3-4)**

1. Pray for those who proclaim the gospel.
2. Pray for God to open doors.
3. Pray that the real truth about Jesus is communicated.
4. Pray for the persecuted who courageously stand for the gospel.
5. Pray for clarity in declaring the message.

**How are believers to approach unbelievers with the gospel?  
(vs. 5-6)**

1. Approach unbelievers wisely.
2. Approach unbelievers enthusiastically.
3. Approach unbelievers with grace and a touch of flavor.
4. Approach unbelievers with answers to their questions.